EVALUATION CRITERIA

The Government intends to award a single contract to the responsible offeror whose technically acceptable quotation represents the best overall value to the Government based on the evaluation of the technical criteria, past performance, and price. Only those offerors submitting technically acceptable quotations shall be considered for award. For the purpose of this best value evaluation of technically acceptable proposals, technical capabilities and past performance, when combined, are significantly more important than price.

The following is a description of each evaluation criterion, including information which must be included with the initial response:

I. Technical Capabilities

- a. Provide a copy of the Quality Management Plan in accordance with the Statement of Work.
- b. Describe the proposed analytical techniques with supporting documentation of capabilities and anticipated recovery/limits of detection.
 - c. Ability to meet time line for the project.
- II. Past Performance Submit a list of 3 customers for whom analyses have been performed. Include specific points of contact and phone numbers. Past Performance will be evaluated on 1) quality of service; 2) timeliness of performance (ability of adhere to deadlines); and 3) overall customer satisfaction.

III. Price

Award will be made to the responsible offer or whose offer is determined the best overall value to the government, price and other factors considered.